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SAT.-NOV. 11th - IS
ARMISTICE DAY -
LEST WE
FORGET

With Life so fair - and all too short
a lease -

Upon our Special Star - ! Nay, Love and
Trust,

Not BLOOD and THUNDER, shall redeem
our Dust -

Let us have PEACE!

Nancy Byrd Turner

"GOOFY GOSSIP"

SO THAT THE PEOPLE OF BRISBANE MAY KNOW THAT THIS IS THE MOST IMPORTANT ISSUE OF THE BYLINE EVER TO COME BEFORE THEM:-----

Every property owner, every business man, every citizen of this community--should put his shoulder to the wheel and get into the fight for an over-pass or an under-pass for a BRISBANE ENTRANCE to the Bayshore Highway while it is being widened to a six-lane highway. The Highway Commission has appropriated the sum of three hundred and fifty thousand dollars for this purpose. But, by some oversight, the Brisbane over-pass was "overlooked"--for what purpose, we do not know. If the people of Brisbane pass up this opportunity--and the highway is widened without an overpass entrance to Brisbane--we will be bottled up for the next twenty years! We must enlist the cooperation of every citizen and business man in this small community, as well as that of our neighbors and Legislators from this county--before the law makers assemble before the first of the year. The Commission has put into their budget for 1950-51 the sum of three million, five hundred and sixty thousand dollars as a starter for the twelve million dollar Freeway across the Bay, down Third Street, and into San Francisco. Brisbane has progressed as far as it ever will--UNLESS WE CAN GET AN ENTRANCE AND EXIT FOR THIS COMMUNITY! Any persons interested in this matter may get in touch with ART KENNEDY, JU 5-4300--and watch future issues of the BYLINE for important announcements.

Speaking of cooperation--what this community can do by cooperation was recently demonstrated when the untiring efforts and work of a few people comprising the Brisbane P.-T.A. sponsored glee club and associates put on their Minstrel Show last Saturday night at the Jefferson Union High School in Daly City. The sixty people that performed are to be commended for their splendid efforts. Their program was a success from a social as well as financial standpoint. However, there were the usual omissions and commissions of such amateur programs which are natural at a first appearance of any show. These small things should and can be corrected, with little effort, and would add dignity to the performance. I say again, the entire cast is to be commended for their splendid performance. The work was long and hard and tire-

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some, for a one-night stand. This show could be a second, third, and even fourth time performance and made even better without making but very few corrections. I feel that I am in a position to say these things with seventeen years of amateur experience, and with twenty-one plays behind that, to back me up. I see only one omission in the final curtain, wherein thanks were given for those whose work added to the success of the Minstrel Show--that of Mrs. Gladys Reece, editor of the Byline. Knowing how hard she worked to get every detail in her paper before the people of Brisbane, I am sure she attended almost every practice rehearsal and noted with great pleasure the progress of the show--without a murmur or a complaint. She should have been mentioned somewhere along the line, with the other citizens who were thanked for their well-deserved efforts in behalf of the show, and she deserves the gratitude of the public, as well as the performers.

SO LONG, UNTIL NEXT TIME.

--your sincere fellow-citizen--

LESTER E. BYBEE.

ED.'S NOTE:--In the first paragraph above is a very important message to the people of Brisbane--a message which can well be the salvation or the downfall of Brisbane--it all depends upon us--the people who live here, some of us in business--some of us owning our own homes--all of us "on the spot" if we do not get a decent entrance and exit to and from Brisbane when the Bayshore Freeway plans are in the final analysis. IT'S UP TO US, FELLOW CITIZENS!

I'd like to convey my thanks to Mr. Bybee here for the kind words he said about all of us connected with the Minstrel Show--PLANTATION DAYS. In regards the second, third, and fourth showing--that has already been arranged. The talented group has been invited to take the show to all the Veteran Hospitals in the Bay Area and in future issues of the BYLINE, we will endeavor to keep you posted as to the activities of the glee club and associates. We will no longer be able to attend the rehearsals--as rehearsal night has been changed from Monday nights to Wednesday nights--and Wednesday night is the night when THE PRESSES (and the Editor) ROAR! In other words--we "cut" stencils until the wee small hours Wednesday nights. Makes me almost decide to give up the paper--just so I could go on attending rehearsals!-----ye editor--G. REECE.

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BIG-HEARTED NIGHT PATROL:

Our night-patrol Sheriffs, Hosford, Cole, and Mitchell--besides donating to the Dan Case fund, have taken 200 tickets to the Benefit Dance to be given Nov. 17th--and have guaranteed to sell all of them. We people of Brisbane should consider ourselves lucky to have three such men as guardians of our safety. Behind those badges of authority beats three great big over-sized hearts! We thank you, gentlemen--for ourselves, and on behalf of Jean Case.

WEDDING:

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Johnson, of 257 Mariposa St. a wedding was solemnized with Rev. Beal officiating--uniting Maxine Kallbon and Everett Wells in marriage on October 21st. The bride wore a burgundy suit and carried tuberose begonias, and was attended by sister Lela Miles. Groom's brother John Muzzy acted as Best Man. Mr. & Mrs. Wells will live in Glenale.

TIRED OF THE SAME OLD
COOKING?????
WHY NOT TRY THE

FOR HOT MEALS,
SANDWICHES, SALADS
and FOUNTAIN
DRINKS-SUNDAES-COFFEE

ENJOY LIFE-EAT OUT MORE OFTEN

WE REALIZE IT'S TOUGH TO GET STUCK
WITH A FLAT TIRE----

BUT!!



WE CAN KEEP YOU FROM MAKING A HABIT
OF IT. WE FEATURE FELD-O-CAP
RECAPPING

HARRY'S SERVICE
#1 SAN BRUNO AVENUE--BRISBANE, CALIF.

CORRECTION:

LAST WEEK'S REPORT THAT YOUNG GEORGE ESTES HAD BEEN AMONG THE CASUALTIES IN KOREA HAS HAPPILY BEEN PROVED FALSE. YOUNG ESTES WAS WOUNDED--BUT IS STILL LIVING. THIS IS HAPPY NEWS TO HIS MANY FRIENDS IN BRISBANE.

LOCAL MAN WINS STRIPED BASS DERBY:

According to Mrs. Ocean Jolly, editor of VISITACION VALLEY GUIDE, our own Sam Saunders of Humboldt Rd. won two prizes at Striped Bass Derby held recently at Gilardi's Boat House on Petaluma Creek in Lakeville. His prizes consisted of a sport shirt from Universal Stores on Bayshore, and a grease job for his station wagon at Fred and Nino's Service Station located at Bayshore at Visitation in Visvalley. Mrs. Jolly also won a prize for being only lady to snare a striped bass. Her prize consisted of two dinners at Bayshore Inn. The Derby is an annual event, staged by Visitation Rod and Gun Club.

TURKEY DINNER

ARMISTICE DAY-NOV. 11th--

\$1.00 per plate--5:30 to 7:45 p.m.

GET YOUR TICKETS FROM LEGION MEMBERS
OR AT THE DOOR----

ALSO

DANCE

9 to 1--

GET UP A CROWD AND COME DOWN FOR
SOME FUN. THREE PC. ORCHESTRA.

LEGION HALL SAT. NOV. 11

GARAGEMEN GET-TO-GETHER:

An interesting get-together of garagemen was held last week at Bill Nutter's place of business on Visitation at Bayshore in Visvalley. Bill Nutter sponsored the affair and Frank Semeit, foreman, acted as host. Among the local garagemen attending was Lee Arthurs (Chuck's Service)--Larry Mills and Dick Javens (Larry's Service)--and George Triggs (Trigg's Garage). Refreshments were served and most of the boys won door prizes.

--as reprinted in part from
"VISITATION VALLEY GUIDE"
of October 25th.

REPORT FROM THE P.-T.A.:

An enthusiastic crowd of over 800 persons viewed the Brisbane P.-T.A.'s Minstrel Show PLANTATION DAYS last Saturday evening. They applauded and cheered through the almost two hour show, and demanded an encore of almost every specialty number. Attired in colorful costumes the cast of 60 were made up in "black face". Stage settings were as gay as the outfits. Presenting specialty numbers were twenty-one persons, including five year old Jimmy Apple teenagers Finlay and Brown, Judy Woodard, Sharon Storck and Stanley Clancey singing "Kentucky Blues", Alfreda Pistohl, Arthur Kennedy, Marvin Moore, Kenny Hart, The "Four Blackbirds", and the singing and dancing of Shirley Ryan and Frank King. Others were Kay Prease, Runt Trantham, the Farr Sisters, Betty Salmon, John Rivera, Juanita Burgess, and Ed Gilmore. Drawing gales of laughter were the old time minstrel jokes of "endmen" Bert Baldwin, Stan Clancey, Bud Miles, and Runt Trantham.

Twenty-eight members of the glee club sang "COME ON DOWN SOUTH", "KENTUCKY BABE", "DOWN THE LANE", "OLD MAN RIVER", "DRY BONES", and "BRISBANE BOUND". Outstanding was their rendition of "DRY BONES" in which, through special lighting effects, only the ties and the socks of the men and the hair bows of the women could be seen.

Outstanding as Interlector was Frank King--and Beth Duncan was her usual competent self at the piano. Stage settings and spotlighting were done by students of Durant Mosley, Jefferson instructor. Assisting backstage were Roy Edwards and Tom Prease. In charge of make-up was Byron Jensen. On the reception committee were Martha Adkisson, Lucille Record, Ira Romrielle, and Ellen Wright. D.R. Whitson sold tickets at

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the door.

Magnificent was the minstrel's finale, "BRISBANE BOUND", in which the entire cast participated. Speaking briefly afterwards was King, who introduced Beth Duncan, Dorothy Radoff, and Ruby Edwards. The president Mrs. Edwards, then introduced Stanford Hanna, Supt. of Jefferson, Miss Natalie Lipman, our own superintendent--and Mrs. R.H. Pons, 17th District Music chairman. A round of applause was given to Louis, Brisbane school janitor, who--in the words of Ruby Edwards--"cleaned up a lot of our messes."

Perhaps never before has so much enthusiasm and community-spirit been aroused and certainly the minstrel was, by far, the biggest project ever sponsored by the unit. Almost every Brisbaneite had something to do with the show--either in the cast, or had a relative or friend who was. As Frank King stated--"One or two persons can't put on a show like this. It takes the cooperation of a whole community."

A special vote of thanks is extended by the unit to Mrs. Gladys Reece who gave so much publicity to the event. And, above all--to Frankie and Beth for "SERVICE BEYOND THE LINE OF DUTY". To the cast of sixty who through earnest and constant rehearsal presented a show which was truly fine and professional--we can only say, "THANK YOU". Brisbaneites will long remember "PLANTATION DAYS".

--as submitted by
DOROTHY RADOFF.

Publicity--Brisbane P.-T.A.

DISTINGUISHED VISITOR:

A distinguished visitor to the office of the BYBEE REALTY COMPANY last Thursday was Mr. Young--representing the CROCKER ESTATE. Mr. Young discussed with Lester E. Bybee the progress of the Bayshore Freeway, and the planned widening of the highway. Mr. Bybee has been representing the Brisbane Chamber of Commerce at the meetings held in Ballingame.

JEAN FAFRI-MERLE GIBBS WEDDING:

A Reno wedding, held on October 21st, united Miss Jeanne Fafri and Mr. Merlin Gibbs in marriage. Miss Fafri wore white French Lace over Satin for the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Gibbs will make their home in Brisbane.

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SCHOOL TRAFFIC REPORT:

The Brisbane school Traffic Squad this year consists only of 8th grade students. There are twenty-five girls on the traffic squad, and eleven boys. Each person goes on duty once a day unless he or she is a substitute. Substitutes take the place of the regular officers in case they are unable to go on duty for some reason. If a child breaks a rule, he is given a ticket by the officer in charge. Later, he is called to court, which is held in the 8th grade room, to answer for his misdoings. There he is "sentenced" to come into the 8th grade room at 8:30 a.m. every morning for a certain length of time. Or perhaps he'll be given 200 or more sentences to write.

There are two captains on the squad. They are Richard Rodriguez and Roger Saunders. The responsibilities of the two captains is to make sure someone is on duty at each corner when the schoolchildren are coming to school, or going home. They also have to keep a record of how many times each person goes on duty. If an officer goes on duty fifty times, he or she is given a felt star to sew on a sweater or jacket. After earning three stars, he or she will receive a felt block signifying that he or she has served a full and efficient term on the Brisbane School Traffic Squad.

--as submitted by ALFRED MONTEZ
8th GRADE-BRISBANE SCHOOL.

POSTOFFICE REPORT:

Time can be saved in mailing parcels for Christmas by purchasing an adequate supply of stamps in advance of the rush period. Mail intended for delivery in the larger cities should be addressed to include the delivery zone number when possible. We suggest you send Holiday Greetings as first-class mail, to obtain the many advantages which this service affords. Such greetings prepaid at the first-class rate may be sealed and contain written messages; they are dispatched and delivered first; forwarded, if necessary, without additional charge, and, if undeliverable, returned at no further expense to the mailer (if return address is on the envelope). For those mailers who may wish to expedite handling and delivery of their cards or gifts, there are the air mail, special delivery, and special handling services. Mail early so your gifts will be sure to reach destination by December 25th.

WYVONNE INGRAM-LOTT G.P.M. H.H. HARMON. Many happy returns.

BETTER BRISBANE MEETING HELD:

According to Art Kennedy, Sec. Mgr. Brisbane Chamber of Commerce, a group of civic-minded representatives from various local organizations and general public attended the "BETTER BRISBANE" meeting held last Monday evening at the Legion Hall. Main topic of discussion was the overhead ramp in regards the planned Bayshore Freeway and widening of the highway. Mr. L.E. Bybee reported to the group the results of the meetings he has been attending in Burlingame as representative of the Brisbane Chamber of Commerce. The next meeting of the civic-betterment group will be held on December 4th, with the general public not only invited--but urged--to attend. We are all asked to list our own ideas for the betterment and beautification of Brisbane, and present them at the next meeting for discussion. LET'S GET ON THE BALL, BRISBANE. THIS IS OUR CHANCE TO SPEAK UP AND BE HEARD.

LION'S CLUB LADIES NIGHT:

The local Lion's Club held it's Ladies Night at the Legion Hall on November 1st--presenting the "Lionesses" present with lovely silver Lion emblem pins. After a chicken dinner the assembled group danced. Among those present were The Jack Lanes, The Clint Stewarts, The Jim Williams, The Cliff Mazzetti's, The Dick Siess, The Larry Mills, The Lou Terry's, The Dick Schroeders, the Orry Faccinelli's, the H. Woodards, The A. Bybee's, The Ted Daglors, The Dave Reed's, The Frank Howards, Fred Laing, and Harry Hall--who gave a fifteen minute talk on the origin of Brisbane's school.

FIVE DOLLAR REWARD OFFERED:

Harold Tikkanen is offering a \$5.00 reward to anyone who can supply the name and address of the party or parties who ran into his car on the morning of November 1st--between 7 and 8:30 a.m.--parked in front of the local postoffice. Anyone with any information regarding the above should call DELaware 3-5635.

BIRTHDAY PARTY:

Fourteen were present at the birthday party given at the A.W. Eckert residence at 402 Mendocino--Oct. 29, celebrating the 83rd birthday of

SURPRISE PARTY:

On November 2nd, four carloads of ladies journeyed to Los Altos to surprise Mrs. Belle Varner on her birthday. After greetings were exchanged, the group enjoyed short devotionals and hymn singing.

Highlights of the afternoon included a corsage for Mrs. Varner and a beautiful birthday cake baked and decorated by Mrs. Dorothy Bollinger.

Those making the trip from Brisbane included Mesdames Myrtle Wolff, Leona Roland, Margaret Koster, Etta Forsythe, Edna Eckols, Margaret Tann, Dorothy Bollinger, Jane Fitting, Georgia Wargowsky, Donella Allen, Virginia Brewer, Elva Yarbrough, Frances Cook, Ada Jorgensen, Alta Clark; Reverend and Mrs. R.S. Beal, Jr., Dickie Beal, Kathleen Brewer, Grace Tann, and Billy Fitting. Also joining in the celebration were Reverend and Mrs. D.N. Moberg, and residents of Pilgrim Haven.

FRIENDS OF YOUNG LARRY SMITH, FORMER TIMES CARRIER IN THIS AREA MAY WRITE HIM AT GENERAL DELIVERY, GREAT BEND, KANSAS. Larry wrote your editor, and says that he is enjoying school this year. There's just himself and a very pretty girl in the 8th grade there.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR:

EDITOR, BRISBANE BYLINE
BRISBANE, CALIFORNIA

NOV. 3:

DEAR MRS. REECE:

ON BEHALF OF ALL COMMITTEES IN SAN MATEO COUNTY WORKING FOR THE RE-ELECTION OF GOVERNOR EARL WARREN, WE THANK YOU AND THE STAFF OF THE BRISBANE BYLINE FOR THE WHOLE-HEARTED AND KIND CO-OPERATION RECEIVED DURING THE PAST MONTH.

THE EXCELLENT EDITORIALS AND PUBLICITY ITEMS HAVE ADDED VERY CONSIDERABLY TO THE GOVERNOR'S CAMPAIGN IN THE COUNTY.

SINCERELY--

J. HOWARD WALZER
U.S. SIMONDS, JR.,
co-chairmen.

BECAUSE SATURDAY IS ARMISTICE DAY:

BEFORE GOD'S FOOTSTOOL TO CONFESS THESE POOR SOULS KNELT, AND BOWED THEIR HEADS--
"WE FAILED"--THEY CRIED--THE MASTER SAID--

"THOU DIDST THY BEST--THAT IS SUCCESS"

ON MEMORY OF DAN CASE POLICEMEN BENEFIT DANCE

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LEGION HALL--FRIDAY NOV. 17

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REMEMBER--FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 17th!

ALL PROCEEDS WILL GO TO DAN'S FUND